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That our American forests abound in plants which possess the most valuable medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most eminent medical writers and teachers. Even the untutored Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until to-day we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

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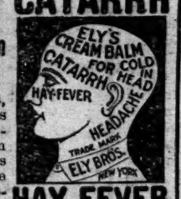

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[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

EXPERIENCE OF CASTAWAYS.

The steamer Miowera arrived at Victoria, B. C., Sunday from Australia with details of the finding of the castaways from the wrecked barkentine Dundonald, who for eight months struggled to exist on Disappointment Island, 200 miles south of New Zealand.

The Dundonald, with a crew of 27, was smashed on the rocks off the island March 7 last, 12 men being drowned. The survivors were found at Auckland Island, which they reached in a rudely fashioned boat, eight months afterward, by the New Zealand steamer Hineoma. They lived on raw mollyhaws and seals and built a fire and kept it going for several weeks. Canvas from the ship was used for covering. Cold weather then came, with snow and hail, and with their hands they dug holes in the ground, above which huts were built of sods and sticks. In these they took shelter. At first they cooked on the fire, but later they built a mud oven and prepared food on a spit.

They knew that a government food depot had been placed on Auckland Island, five miles away, and finally decided to build a boat. In July a craft was fashioned of crooked sticks and canvas, clothing and blankets saved from the ship also being used. A small bone saved from a bird, with a hole pierced in it, was used as a needle and some wire from the ship as thread.

The boat started July 31, but failing to find the depot, the men came back August 9.

A second boat was built in September and a third in October, but these were smashed. They then sent the first boat ahead, and the men, after walking through bursh and scrub for 15 miles, found the food depot.

A good boat was there, and, making sails from their clothing, a crew went back to Disappointment Island and brought the others to Auckland Island.

The Hineoma, passing with a scientific party, saw their signals, and a month after they had reached Auckland rescued them.

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The whole year through," writes L. A. Bartlett, of Rural Route 1, Guilford, Me., "I and my family used Dr. King's New Life Pills. They have proven most satisfactory to all of us." They tone the system and cure biliousness, malaria and constipation. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 25c.

THE BOYERTOWN HORROR.

With all the victims who lost their lives in the theater fire at Boyertown, Pa., last week, buried, the authorities of the borough and the coroner of Berks county will now begin an investigation of the terrible affair.

Warren Jones, who was ticket-taker at the Rhoades Theater at the time of the fire, has confirmed, in part, the story that the exit doors were bolted when the audience made its rush to escape the flames. He made his first statement Sunday night since the fire. He declares that one of the two doors, which swung both ways, was bolted, and adds:

"When the people began to rush from the hall I threw open one door and tried to open the one bolted. I could not do it. People finally smashed it down.

"I believe that what caused the deaths more than anything else was the placing of collapsible wooden chairs in the two aisles and behind the reserved seats."

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SEARCHING FOR THE GROOM.

The desertion of pretty Beulah Brill an hour after her marriage to Lowell Heflin, against whom she had made charges, has resulted in a family feud which embraces practically all the people in Strasburg, Woodstock and Linden.

The father and brothers of the girl and their friends are aligned on one side, armed and openly clamoring for the life of the young man, whose present whereabouts are not known. The friends of Heflin have also quietly armed, and are prepared to resist any attempt to do bodily harm to the young man, who, they declare, is more sinned against than sinning.

Miss Brill told her story to her father, William Brill, and brothers. They at once armed themselves and went in search of Heflin, whose home is in Linden. He was found at Woodstock and forced to return to the old Brill home, where the marriage ceremony was performed. After the marriage there was a supper, at which amicable relations between young Heflin and the Brills were re-established.

After the departure of the guests, Heflin went upstairs. Following in every details the plan of Bywaters in a similar case, Heflin escaped through an open window, descending by way of a porch to the ground. He succeeded in making his escape before his absence was discovered by the Brills. Relatives of the girl made a search for him with the intention of killing him on sight, but he was not found. Later a warrant was sworn out for him on a charge of desertion and nonsupport.

The young man was arrested and brought before a magistrate, who bailed him for his appearance at the March term of court. Care was taken that the Brills should not have an opportunity to harm him. The youth again disappeared and has not been seen since.

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GERMANY'S NAVY.

That Germany will soon become and will continue to be the world's second naval power is the assertion of Col. Gaedke, perhaps the foremost of the Kaiser's experts in the building up to the fatherland's sea strength. The colonel concedes that England will still overshadow the rest of the world afloat, but declares that no other nation will even approach Germany. The fleet will consists in 1920, he says, of thirty-two battleships of the Dreadnaught type, fifteen others of almost equal strength and twenty large and powerfully armed cruisers.

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Ashton, Ana	Harlbeck, Mrs E O
Alden, Josephire	Hill, Frances
Bradley, Thos J	Jones, W B
Bishop, Mrs S M	Jefferson, T F
Butler, Mrs Maggie	Johnson, Mrs Susie
Bayliss, Hiram	Lud, Florence
Carroll, Gertrude B	Mills, Alice
Deksander, Bolatanis	Masson, Mrs Ed M
Dove, Mrs R M	Maniler, Nelson E
Denton, Richard L	McBlair, R
Daniel Mrs Ollie J	Maryman, Mrs S
Doxey, George	Nelson, Virginia
Dobson, Henry W	Nat'l Furniture Co
Deane Mrs Lillian	Org. O R
Domenico, Leero	Pearson, Mrs Gracie
Edwards, H F	Penn, J M
Echols Thomas J	Strider, Ennie
Foster, A L	Striblens, Mr
Grace, Alice	Tabler, Mrs Lula
Grover, Mrs Bettie	Wolviwork, Gust
Geddes, Thomas	Williams, Walter
Hunter, Mrs Winnie	Walter, Miss
Harrison, Tommie	Watkins, Stewart
Henderson, Willie	Washington, Lizzie
	Wash, Mrs & Mrs H

PACKAGES.

Beales, Maude	Johnson, Mrs H ( )
Bryan, Jno T	Kelley, Elnora E
Craig, Hester	Moore, Mrs W A
Cunningham, Mrs T	Ren, A D
Croson, Mrs Thom	Fama, R A
Dotson, Mrs M A	Tunsley, Russie
Hardy, Mrs T	Thomas, W E
Heflin, Mrs H A	Weir, J F

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Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va.,

DECEMBER 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$569,356.85	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation,	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000 00	Undivided Profits	56,252.57
Other Bonds and Stocks	28,111.56	Circulation	98,900.00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97	Deposits	586,818.29
Cash	43,921.72	U. S. Deposit	50,000.00
Due from Banks & Reserve Agents,	94,523.76		
	$941,970.86		$941,970.86

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 21st day of January, 1908.

Anna M. Gillman vs. George H. Gillman } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Geo. H. Gillman, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered that said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 22, 1908.

IF Mr. Throckmorton's bill which was favorably reported by the House committee on general laws yesterday is passed by the legislature all criminals sentenced to death will expiate their crimes in the State penitentiary, instead of in the respective counties and cities, as at present. A sentiment in favor of having all executions at the State prison long has prevailed in Virginia, and three bills with this end in view have been introduced in the House this session. The Throckmorton bill forbids the publication of detailed reports of the hangings. This, it might seem at the first blush, is something of a restriction of the liberty of the press, though newspapers, as a matter of fact, would prefer not to publish the details of hangings nowadays. As the Throckmorton measure contains no penal clause in this connection, it would appear, however, that enterprising reporters, with grewsome tendencies, might still exult unpunished in their realism even after its passage. Mr. Throckmorton says that a Michigan statute, containing the same provision, has stood the test of the courts. The judges sanctioned the inhibition on the ground of public policy. It is hoped that the bill will become a law.

ACCORDING to reports now before the delegates to the tenth annual convention of the National Guard Association of the United States, the organized militia of the country numbers 107,272 men. New York, with 14,750, stands at the head of the States for strength, with Pennsylvania, with a roster of 9,791, second. New Mexico has the smallest organization—275, and Oklahoma, with 785 in the national guard, is ahead of Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wyoming. Illinois is credited with 6,717 and Ohio with 6,314 men. The amount appropriated last year by the various States for the maintenance of the organized militia was $4,941,899. A bill is now before the Virginia legislature to appropriate a larger sum for the maintenance of the State's militia. A liberal appropriation should be made.

IT IS reported that through the zealous efforts of the federal officeholders in New England the Taft propaganda in that region is gaining ground, notwithstanding the pretty general opposition of its Senators and members of Congress. But neither the blandishments of the White House nor the influence of Senator Lodge appear to have moved Massachusetts from her position against any candidate the administration may favor. The simple explanation of this is, says the Philadelphia Record, that the republicans of Massachusetts are beginning to agitate in earnest for reform of the tariff, and that they hold in great respect the counsels of the late Senator Hoar against the Roosevelt policy of imperialism.

MR. JOHN SHARP WILLIAMS was yesterday elected Senator from Mississippi. Mr. Williams has shown good capacity for leadership in the House and has accomplished much in keeping the two wings of his party together and in concentrating the democracy's attention upon great issues. It is confidently believed that he will become as prominent a member of the Senate as he is of the House.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., January 22.

The announcement by Governor Hughes that he will consent to become a presidential candidate, has set the politicians of both parties talking faster and speculating more wildly than any other item of political news that has appeared since Roosevelt reiterated his third term statement. By making the announcement, the Governor instantaneously changes himself from a mystery to a menace to the Taft followers, and opens up the prospect of the bitterest kind of a battle in the Empire State. The feud between the war minister and Senator Foraker, in Ohio, dwindled into very small proportions in comparison, for if the fight should be carried to a finish between the Roosevelt-Taft forces and the Hughes hosts, it is not at all unlikely that the democrats would sweep the State and possibly the nation. Even Governor Hughes' closest friends were taken off their feet by the announcement for they have been predicting with the greatest confidence that the governor would not declare himself. It was no more than two weeks ago that State Senator Armstrong of insurance investigation fame, who first brought Governor Hughes into the lime light of publicity, came to Washington and gave out an interview in which he asserted that the governor would make no sign before the convention met. "Hughes was simply smoked out," commented a friend of Secretary Taft when he learned of the Governor's action. "He finally realized that if he were prevent the New York state republicans from being delivered to Taft, it was necessary for him to take action right away. The longer he kept the padlock on his lips, the farther the nomination receded from him, because the Taft people were working like beavers, and gathering in pledges dozen by dozen. It was only a question of time, when every one of consequence would be pledged. It is very doubtful that theGovernor has much chance now. He was waited too long." The Hughes followers scoff at the latter suggestion. "That statement will settle the fate of Taft in New York," exclaimed one of them. "You will see them falling over themselves to get Hughes' corner of the lot, like a bunch of chickens coming for their feed."

The response of Secretary Cortelyou to the resolution of the Senate calling for information regarding the recent operations of the treasury department in connection with the money crisis is expected next Monday. In the meantime, there will probably be no meetings of the Senate finance committee to discuss currency legislation. Should the Cortelyou matter be laid before the Senate on Monday, the committee will resume consideration of the Aldrich bill next day. Just when the measure will be reported back to the Senate is problematical. Senator Aldrich's statement that his bill may be amended, so as to make it obligatory upon national banks to meet all their demand obligations in cash, thus abolishing the future issuing of clearing house certificates, cashiers' checks, etc., accompanied by his suggestion that he may call upon some banks which adopted the latter subterfuge, although they had actual cash on hand to meet the demands of their depositors, is regarded here as a warning to certain of the western bankers that they had better cease their opposition to the passage of the Aldrich bill, unless they want to have some of their acts, which have been termed questionable, made the subject of investigation.

Speaker Cannon has been invited to speak at the banquet to be given by Washington-Alexandria Lodge of Masons on February 22nd and has accepted the invitation.

The annual Southern relief ball, given at the New Willard last night, for the benefit of needy Confederate veterans, was pronounced the most successful in the history of the Southern Relief Society.

The National Board of Trade at its meeting here today went on record in favor of the proposition for Congress to appropriate $50,000,000 annually for the improvement of rivers and harbors.

News of the Day.

Major General J. Franklin Bell, in his annual report, urges reorganization of the army to meet modern conditions.

Betts Academy, a preparatory school of Stanford, Conn., was destroyed by fire early today with about $100,000 loss.

Otto Kelsey, New York State superintendent of insurance, declares that under the new laws business of the New York companies has fallen off millions.

The North Carolina legislature convened in special session yesterday to consider railroad-rate and other bills. Governor Glenn in his message also urging the enactment of a prohibition law.

Fifteen thousand unemployed workmen were organized at mass-meetings held in Berlin yesterday and called upon the government to provide work. In an encounter with the police many men were wounded.

Baron Branco, Brazilian minister of foreign affairs, at a banquet yesterday given in Rio in honor of the American naval officers, paid high tributes to Monroe and Roosevelt and praised the prowess of the American navy.

Leslie M. Shaw, former Secretary of the Treasury, who has been president of the Carnegie Trust Company since last March, has handed in his resignation and it has been accepted. His action was due, according to his own words, "to little differences with Charles C. Dickinson, the organizer and chief owner of the company."

An investigation has been ordered by President Roosevelt of the cost of printing done by the government printing office for the various departments. Evidently the President's action is inspired by a belief that the cost of printing done for the departments is too high. The order includes the additional order that the result of the investigation be reported to him.

The United States still has before it many strenuous months of canal digging before it will have attained the record for excavation reached by the French, before they gave up the plan, according to latest reports from the isthmus. The total amount of excavation under the American control up to January 1, was 22,755,291 cubic yards. The total amount excavated by the French was 81,548,000 yards. Most of the American excavation, however, was done in two years.

Mr. Ashbrook, of Ohio, yesterday introduced two bills in the House of Representatives concerning the proper marking of graves of the dead presidents. One bill provides for the erection of a $25,000 monument over the grave of John Tyler, in the Hollywood cemetery, in Richmond. The other provides that the House and Senate committees on library shall constitute a special committee to investigate the conditions of the graves of the dead presidents, and to report to Congress proper measures for their marking.

EX-GOVERNOR ACCUSED.

In debate in the Maryland Legislature yesterday the President of the Senate, Gen. J. B. Seth, by a series of questions, in effect charged that in the campaign of 1903 Hon. Edwin Warfield, in return for financial support, made certain pledges to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and to other corporations.

General Seth charged by innuendo that the Governor had misapplied public funds and had used the State's money to pay for flowers at his daughter's party. He also charged that the ex-Governor had endeavored to sell State securities for less than their value, and that he had used his influence to keep a relative on the State's payroll, who performed no service.

General Seth used the most insulting language with regard to the ex-Governor, comparing him to "a Percheron stallion with a red bridle at a county fair."

Ex-Governor Warfield, when told of the charges, said that they were too preposterous to merit any reply. Nevertheless, he refuted them, and Mr. Hugh L. Bond, vice-president and general counsel of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, made denial of the statements which had reference to his company.

CHARGES AGAINST JUDGE RHEA

The two branches of the Virginia legislature, sitting in joint executive session yesterday, as stated in the Gazette of that afternoon, recommitted the report of the conference committee on confirmation of Gov. Swanson's appointment of former Judge William F. Rhea, of Bristol, as a member of the State corporation commission to succeed Henry C. Stuart, of Russell, whose term expires with the present month.

All of the protests came from the republican delegation. Senator Noel, of Lee, led the fight for the republicans.

"Judge Rhea has been charged," declared Senator Noel, "with abetting fraud in election; he has been charged with accepting a bribe while holding the office of judge; he has been charged with changing the returns in the elections in Buchanan, Bussell, and Scott counties. He should not become a member of the State corporation commission with these charges resting upon him."

He insisted that the appointment be recommitted to the committee on nominations until the charges could be investigated.

Judge Rhea was defended by Martin Williams, of Giles; Delegate Stuart, of Washington, and Senator William Hodges Mann. The most ardent supporters of Judge Rhea voted for the recommitment. It is said that Judge Rhea will himself appear in Richmond for the purpose of defense when the charges against him are publicly heard.

Judge William F. Rhea, when asked last night at his home in Bristol for a statement relative to the charges made by State Senator J. C. Noel, of Lee county, in opposing confirmation of Rhea's nomination to be a member of the Virginia State corporation commission, said:

"I have nothing to say as to Senator Noel's charges, except that I am willing for the general assembly, or its joint committee, to make the fullest investigation of my judicial, legislative, and political career.

"I will go to Richmond as soon as possible, and hope I will have the privilege of meeting the joint committee any time its members may desire."

In view of the fact that the charges against Judge Rhea were thoroughly thrashed out before the congressional committee on contests in two contests filed by the late Gen. James A. Walker, and Rhea was vindicated each time by a republican House, Senator Noel's course causes surprise there.

Richmond, Jan. 22.—Delegate Rew, of Accomac today prepared a resolution asking the governor to withdraw the nomination of Judge Rhea, for the Corporation Commission. Delegate Rew who is a democrat says he has a high regard for Judge Rhea, but the members of the commission should be absolutely above criticism involving character. Mr. Rhea at the earnest request of many democrats with held his resolution temporary but expects to introduce it later.

DUEL WITH BURGLARS.

In a desperate fight with two burglars, early yesterday, Thore Wahlgren, a gardener on the estate of James T Burden, jr., at Westbury, Long Island, N. Y., was shot in the breast. He is dying in the Nassau County Hospital at Mineola.

Mr. and Mrs. Burden were away from home at the time, being guests of Mrs. John Jacob Astor at the ball given by her at her home, 840 Fifth avenue, New York, in honor of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt and her fiance, Count Szechenyi. In their absence Wahlgren and his assistant, Richmond Sills, occupied rooms in the house to protect it.

Shortly before dawn Wahlgren heard a noise in the basement, and without awakening Sills, took his revolver and crept downstairs.

The burglars heard him, and as they started to flee Wahlgren fired at them. The burglars returned the fire, and while they opened the front door of the basement Wahlgren fired again. As the robbers returned the fire, one of the bullets struck the watchman, and he sank to the floor. He had just enough strength left to fire again before he became unconscious.

As the robbers got away without leaving any trail, it is probable that all of Wahlgren's shots went wild.

Sills heard the shooting, and rushed downstairs, revolver in hand, but before he reached the basement, the men had fled. Wahlgren was lying in a pool of blood, so Sills summoned a wagon and hurried him to the hospital.

From the amount of loot packed up it is believed the men had been in the house for some time. Two baskets had been filled with silverware.

MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

Senator Daniel's bill for a $5,000,000 memorial bridge across the Potomac river to Arlington was passed by the Senate yesterday afternoon without opposition. The bill was favorably reported from the Senate District committee last week by Senator Martin. A bill for the construction of a memorial bridge has been introduced and passed the Senate before, but it has never been favorably acted upon by the House.

By Senator Daniel's bill the Secretary of War is authorized to construct the bridge from some point in the former Naval Observatory grounds, which lie at the foot of Twenty-fourth street northwest Washington to the Arlington estate. The plans for the bridge are to be approved by a board consisting of the Secretary of War, the president pro tem of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, and the chairmen of the District committee of both House and Senate. Five hundred thousand dollars is to be immediately available for making the plans and beginning the construction of the bridge.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Frye bill to increase the efficiency and personnel of the Revenue-cutter Service was passed by the Senate yesterday.

Mr. Culberson offered a resolution, which went over, directing the committee on the judiciary to investigate the recent decision of Judge Dayton, of West Virginia, in a labor-trouble case, and report any legislation that might be considered necessary.

The bill appropriating $5,000,000 for the construction of a memorial bridge across the Potomac was passed.

An amendment to the bill codifying the penal statues offered by Mr. Randell, of Texas, precipitated one of the liveliest political debates of the session in the House. Presidential candidates were discussed.

The selling of government information relating to crops will be prevented by an amendment adopted.

GOVERNOR HUGHES.

Gov. Charles Evans Hughes is an avowed candidate for the republican nomination for President.

Formal announcement of his candidacy was made last night in a reply to a communication from the Republican Club of the city of New York.

On the evening of January 31 Gov. Hughes will attend a reception of the club and will then announce his position more elaborately than he has.

This announcement of his openly entering the field is expected to bring consternation into the camps of the several other candidates. Politicians are carefully analyzing his letter and trying to read into its full depth of meaning.

He declares he will abide by any decision of his party at Chicago, and says he appreciates the confidence and esteem of those whose efforts are now being put forward in his behalf.

By inference he raps the national administration for abetting the Taft candidacy. He says, "The State administration of New York must continue to be impartial and must not be tributary to any candidacy."

He declares he desires no factional controversy, and desires above all else that the selection at Chicago shall be an honest expression of the party will, and one that will result in harmonious action.

Along with this statement comes the semi-official announcement that Governor Hughes will not be a candidate for the office he now holds.

Gov. Hughes' letter is as follows:

Albany, January 21, 1908.

Mr. James S. Lehmaier, Chairman of Committee, Republican Club, 54 West Fortieth Street, New York City:

My Dear Mr. Lehmaier—Your letter of the 18th has been received. I am deeply sensible of the honor conferred upon me by my fellow-members of the Republican Club in the passage of the resolution to which you refer, and it will give me pleasure to accept the invitation. In accepting it it is proper for me to restate my position: It is my desire that the sentiment of the party shall have the freest expression, and that such action shall be taken as will be for its best interests. I do not seek office nor shall I attempt to influence the selection or vote of any delegate. The State administration must continue to be impartial and must not be tributary to any candidacy. I have no interest in any factional controversy and desire, above all things, that there shall be deliberation, honest expression of the party will and harmony of effort.

I cannot fail to recognize the great honor which the nomination would confer or the obligation of service which it would impose. Nor should I care to be thought lacking in appreciation of the confidence and esteem which prompt the efforts of those who sincerely desire to bring it about. The matter is one for the party to decide, and whatever its decision I shall be content.

I shall be glad to meet the members of the club as you suggest, and to make such further statement as may be appropriate. In view of the engagement already made I do not see how it will be possible to have such a meeting before the evening of January 31. And if that date suits your convenience arrangements may be made accordingly.

MR. BRYAN'S SPEECH.

The balloting in the Kentucky legislature yesterday for a successor to U. S. Senator James B. McCreary was without result. The feature of the day was an address by William J. Bryan.

"In all countries there are two parties all the time." Mr. Bryan declared; "the aristocratic party, distrusting the people, and the democratic party, trying to get in close touch with the people. An aristocrat is not easily converted into a democrat. He must be born again. I believe that at heart a majority of those who call themselves republicans are democrats.

Occasionally these aristocrats get into the legislature. The aristocratic view is that the legislator is elected because he can think for himself. The embezzlement of power is as great a crime as the embezzlement of money."

Here Mr. Bryan made reference to the man who is elected and then goes to a legislature and votes against the wishes of the people who sent him. "I hope the time will come," he said, "when such betrayers will be whipped out of power."

The warning of President Roosevelt as to the great fortunes which many persons had built up owing to the growth of corporations, Mr. Bryan warmly commended. He said that the recent money scare was caused by fictitious values. He said every State should pass such laws as would make impossible watered stock and fictitious capitalization.

BRIDE MURDERED.

Mrs. Sidney Jones, aged nineteen, was shot and killed at her home in Cambria, near Christiansburg, Va., at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, by Frank Carthon, aged twenty, whose suit she had rejected to marry Jones.

Her husband, who is employed by the Norfolk and Western Railroad, was at work and Carthon found Mrs. Jones alone in the kitchen. He shot her three times with a pistol, one bullet taking effect in the center of her forehead, one in her breast and one in her neck. Any one of the wounds would have been fatal.

Carthon and Mrs. Jones were raised together in the family of Thomas Gorman, of Cambria, and since the girl's marriage to Jones, Carthon has been greatly dejected. Yesterday he took Gorman's revolver and went to Mrs. Jones's house. After the shooting he returned the blood-stained weapon to Gormon, telling him what he had done.

He immediately went to Christiansburg and surrendered to the authorities, telling them that he had planned the death of the girl for a year, and asked that he be protected, as he feared her husband and relatives would kill him.

He said he killed Mrs. Jones because he loved her and she had married another man. He told the police that he went to her home and declared to her that he was going to kill her. She begged piteously for her life, but he was deaf to her pleas.

No false pretense has marked the career of Ely's Cream Balm. Being entirely harmless, it is not responsible like the catarrh snuffs and powders, for minds shattered by cocaine. The great virtue of Ely's Cream Balm is that its speedily and completely overcomes nasal catarrh and hay fever. Back of this statement is the testimony of thousands and a reputation of many year's success. All druggists. 50c, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

Legislature.

SENATE.

The senate committee for courts of justice yesterday favorably reported the bill which requires the judges of the Supreme Court of Appeals to wear robes while on the bench. The bill now goes on the Senate calandar.

Mr. Wickham introduced a bill releasing all takes and levies on real estate which accrued prior to January 1, 1903.

Senator Harman introduced a bill, which provides for the legalizing of assessments made for paving and other improvements by the special officer named by cities of the Commonwealth.

Mr. Parsons introduced a bill giving circuit and corporation courts concurrent jurisdiction with justices of the peace in "certain cases." The idea is to permit the trial of cases when indictments are returned by the court which finds the indictment and which are now certified to justices for decision.

Mr. Ward offered a bill providing for official receipts in criminal cases.

HOUSE

Messrs. Williams and Howle have offered a bill to amend an act to provide for the expense of removing, supporting and maintaining insane persons.

A bill providing for the testing of the sight and hearing of pupils in the public schools was offered by Mr. Barrett.

Messrs. Goolrick and Taliaferro have introduced in the house and Senator Strode in the senate bills of far-reaching importance providing for the re-enactment of what is known as the "Thomas bill," providing for the issuing of bonds for road improvement in the various magisterial districts of the counties of the State.

As an aftermath of certain notable bank failures which recently have occurred in this State, a bill which aims to correct existing evils was offered in the house yesterday.

It requires the judges of the Circuit and Corporation Courts of this State and the Commonwealth's Attorneys thereof to have the grand juries of their respective courts inquire into the failure of any bank or savings institution occurring within their jurisdiction, as set forth in chapter 48 of the Code of Virginia, and to make a report to the court thereof.

Mr. Throckmorton offered a bill requiring that all condemned murderers shall be hanged within the walls of the State penitentiary. The bill also prohibits the press of the State from publishing details of the executions, on the ground that in many cases it tends to make martyrs of criminals.

Mr. Featherstone's resolution to increase the length of the sessions of the general assembly from sixty to ninety days was reported favorably by the house committee on courts of justice.

The house committee on counties, cities and towns made its favorable report on a bill requiring where a person is injured on streets of a city, or otherwise, he shall be required to give notice that he will bring suit within three months of the date of accident, in order that the city may be able to secure evidence to protect its interests. As the law exists the injured person may wait eleven months before giving notice of a suit, and the delay necessarily makes it almost impossible for the city to secure evidence.

The commissioners of revenue won a sweeping victory yesterday afternoon when the House committee on privileges and elections favorably reported a bill providing for the election of the county commissioners by the people, and for the appointment of the city commissioners by the Circuit Courts for one more term.

CHURCH MUSIC ATTACKED.

That much of the present day church music has deteriorated until it is a disgrace is the opinion expressed by Prof. Tali Esen Morgan, choir leader at the Baptist Temple, Brooklyn, before a Methodist ministers' meeting on Monday. Professor Morgan made a plea for better music, and surprised the clergymen by declaring that "too often in evangelical churches the music, supposed to be sacred, is of the 'ragtime' variety and the words set to the music doggerel" "The music has deteriorated and retrograded," he said, "and has lost its inspiring influence in many churches. Many of the old so-called hymns are a disgrace to the church and to music.

Rev. Thomas O'Donahue, rector of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Baltimore, has announced to his congregation that "That abomination, 'Nearer, My God to Thee,'" shall never be sung in his church again. At solemn requiem masses no hymns shall be sung, except in the Latin. "Too often," declared Father O'Donahue, "relatives of the deceased, through artistic taste, but more frequently through vanity, will bring into the choir singers who are ever ready to show off their voices, and who are more concerned about the praise they may win than in the solemnity of the occasion."

THE GAZETTE.

January 1st the Alexandria Gazette commenced its 109th year.—It is among the best papers in the State and publishes all the news in a readable, acceptable form. Its editoral department is original and forcible. Persons wishing a daily paper cannot do better than to subscribe to the Gazette.—[Piedmont Virginian.

On the 31st day of December, 1907, the Alexandria Gazette completed its 108th volume and is without doubt the oldest newspaper published in Virginia and possibly in the United States. There are issues of the Gazette published between the years 1783 and 1785 occasionally being found showing that it was published as far back as that time, but the regular files only go back to the beginning of the year 1800 Notwithstanding its extreme old age the Gazette shows all the vigor of youth which it combines with the wisdom that comes of age. The Gazette seems to be destined to have many more years of prosperity. —[Harrisonburg Times.

The Alexandria Gazette has entered its 109th year, and is still the same old reliable journal. Records show that the Gazette was published many years before 1800, but the regular files only date back to that year. No exchange that comes to this office is more welcome than this unpretentious little daily, which in concise form gives you all the news. May many more years of prosperity be added to its long and honored career.—[Richmond Leader.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates—it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

Today's Telegraphic News.

The Thaw Trial.

New York, Jan. 22.—The battle of the mental experts in the Thaw case is impending. There are but three or four more lay witnesses left for the defence to call, and Littleton announced today they would probably complete their testimony before adjournment.

Then the real work of showing, from the professional standpoint, Thaw's irrationality will be begun.

Miss Frances E. Pierce, a friend of Harry K. Thaw and his wife, the first witness, was called to identify her signature to the will and codicil executed by Thaw the evening of his marriage. She had chaperoned Evelyn Nesbit before the wedding. The will contained numerous strange bequests which Littleton argued indicated mental irresponsibility of his cleint.

After the identification both the will and codicil were offered in evidence. Jerome objected, holding that witness was unable to swear the document was in the same condition and read the same as when she signed it. A lengthy technical legal discussion followed.

Justice Dowling finally ruled the codicil could be admitted, most of it being in the handwriting of the defendant. The offer of the will in evidence was temporarily withdrawn.

Anothony Comstock, head of the society for the prevention of vice, the next witness, swore that Thaw called at his office in February 1904, by appointment. He told Comstock that a well-known New Yorker was in the habit of ruining young girls by drugging them in his apartments at 12 Twenty second street, witness not designing either east or west. He next saw Thaw in November of that year after first having received a letter from him, dated in Paris, France. Thaw also sent him another letter in November.

Sensational Murder and Suicide.

New York, Jan. 22.—Several hundred diners at Macy's cafe on the eighth floor of the big department store at Broadway and Thirty-fourth street were thrown into a panic shortly after noon today by a sensational murder and suicide. The noon hour rush was on when a woman, said by the police to be Mrs. May Roberts Clark, of 319 West 133rd street, stepped out of the elevator and up to a table at which Frank Brady, an advertising solicitor on the Free Lance, was lunching.

Drawing a revolver from her muff, Mrs. Clark fired five bullets at Brady, all of which took effect. The man slid from his chair under the table dead. Dropping the smoking gun, Mrs. Clark drew a second revolver from her muff and, placing it to her stomach, pulled the trigger. She did not fall, however, and lifting the pistol to her head sent a second bullet crashing into her brain. She was hurried to New York hospital where she died a few moments later.

Immediately after the first shot a full-fledged panic started. Women screamed and every one attempted to get to cover. When the woman reached the second revolver there was a mad rush for the stairways and elevators. Tables were turned over and women fainted and were trampled on in the mad rush.

Search of the body of the dead woman revealed a third revolver in her hand bag. There was nothing about her to indicate who the woman was. She was stylishly dressed and appeared to be a woman of refinement, about 30 years of age and wearing a wedding ring. Brady was about 27.

Admiral Evans's Fleet.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 22.—Admiral Evans's armada is ready for sea. It will leave the harbor here this afternoon. The torpedo flotilla sailed last night. It will stop at Buenos Ayres.

If the story of threatened anarchist violence against the warships be excepted, absolutely nothing marred the pleasure of the visit here. The Americans are a unit in the declaration that they could not have been treated more kindly. The Brazilians reply that they could not have believed it possible that so great a fleet could have stayed so long at any port on earth without a clash between sailors on shore leave and the people among whom they were visiting.

President Penna will review the departing fleet, which will be met and saluted off Bahia Blanca by a squadron of the Brazilian navy. The next stop after Buenos Ayres will be at Punta Arenas.

Five thousand Brazilians visited the warships at yesterday's farewell reception. While the anarchist story has not been seriously considered, no visitors were allowed below.

Owing to Admiral Evans's illness on the Connecticut, the Minnesota was the center of the festivities.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Admiral Evans has wired the Navy Department that the fleet left Rio de Janeiro this morning.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Rebels Penned In.

Port Au Prince Haiti, Jan. 22.—Latest advices from the seat of revolutionary activity are that the loyalist army has the rebels penned in Gonnaives, but seems to be hesitating to rush their position there.

The rebels have met with nothing but defeat thus far, and indications are that they would be glad to get away. They are naturally unwilling to surrender, however, as there is no doubt President Alexis' goverment will make short work of all the leaders who may fall into its hands.

The loyalist officers repudiate responsibility for the burning of American property at St. Marc and it appears true that the destruction preceded the towns' capture from the rebels.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The Haitian revolution is spreading. A despatch to the state department today from consul Livingstone, at Cape Haitien says: "Revolutionists in possession of neighboring villages. Cape Haitien threatened."

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of troubles. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like Kodol For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

R., F. & P. Railroad Matter.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Jan. 22.—A great crowd thronged the capitol to hear arguments on the question of the repeal of the R., F. & P. track monopoly. Each side was given three and a half hours. The hearing adjourned at noon until four this afternoon. The speeches favorable to the repeal bill were made by Fredericksburg and Richmond men, representing commercial bodies.

Death of Clerk Bowden.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 22.—George E. Bowden, republican, ex-Congressman and Clerk of the U. S. Court for the Eastern district of Virginia, died at his home in Norfolk today after a long illness.

Killed by Watchman.

Clarksville, Tenn., Jan. 22.—An attempt was made early today to fire and dynamite the Loose Tobacco factory of the Hays-Sorg Tobacco Company in which two negroes were killed by a night watchman. Another negro escaped, but is thought to have been wounded.

The negroes were fired on while standing at the door of the factory just as one struck a match. The door of the factory was found saturated with oil and four sticks of dynamite were under it. On the two negroes a sufficient quantity of dynamite was found to wreck the factory.

Denial from Shaw.

New York, Jan. 22.—Former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw denied today he has resigned the presidency of the Carnegie Trust Company. It is likely he will retire March 1 however, he added. The former cabinet officials gave out the following typewritten statement today explaining his position: "Ex-Secretary Shaw states he has not resigned from the presidency of the Carnegie Trust Company. He has however, contracted to sell his holdings and if paid for, he will resign March 1."

Man and Wife Commit Suicide.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Because they were old and without means to keep them from becoming a public burden John Florian and his wife, 68 and 77 respectively, donned their wedding clothes and took carbolic acid. Their bodies were found at their home. The man and his wife are said to have struggled against poverty for a long time, complaining bitterly to their neighbors of their shame and disappointment at having to accept aid from friends and charitable institutions.

Pittsburg Bank Closed.

Pittsburg, Jan. 22 —The Traders and Mechanics' Bank, a state institution, was closed today by order of the state bank examiner. The institution has a paid-up capital of $100,000, and its deposits are estimated at $860,000.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Jan. 22.—The market was heavy again this morning and although some covering of shorts caused some rallies in early trading the gains were lost. At the end of the first hour nearly everything on the list showed losses from yesterday's closing figures.

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Jan. 22.

SENATE.

With the announced purpose of relieving the Department of Justice of embarrassment in the proposed prosecution of the International Harvester Company, Mr. Hansbrough presented a resolution to the Senate, asking that the Department of Commerce and Labor be directed to discontinue its investigation into the trusts affairs, in accordance with a Senate resolution of December, 1906.

Mr. Beveridge resisted its adoption.

Mr. Clark opposed interference. "We ought not to play with any department of the government" he exclaimed, "and halt its work in mid-flight."

HOUSE.

When the House met today it passed a resolution calling upon President Roosevelt for a copy of the report made by Assistant Secretary Murray, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, Corporation Commissioner Smith and Labor Commissioner Nellon the Goldfield, Nev., labor troubles.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings of the Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows:

Southern Railway Company vs. Newton's administrator. Fully argued and submitted.

Drake vs. Blythe et als. Argued and submitted.

Seaboard Air Line vs. Chamblin et als. Partly argued and continued.

Next cases to be called: Moreland vs. Moreland; Traders and Truckers' Bank vs. Black et als; Robinson vs. City of Richmond; Kelly vs. Gwatkin et als., and Creecy and others vs. Grief and others, being Nos. 25 to 30, inclusive, exclusive of No. 29, on argument docket.

The February Metropolitan, which has been received from its publishers in New York, is its Midwinter fiction number. Articles that are unusually timely are "In American Finance," "Japan and the United States," and "The water supply and its menaces." In "The Hollow Land," is told the stupendous plans of Holland, "The world at large" gives the important news of the month and "The Grand Opera," and "Drama of the Month," are illustrated with photographs. The fiction is particularly interesting, the good stories are by well-known writers.

The Market.

Georgetown, D. C., Jan. 22.—Wheat 95-100.

FROM THE ANTILLES.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Benefits a City Councilman at Kingston, Jamaica.

Mr. W. O'Reilly Fogarty, who is a member of the City Council at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies, writes as follows: One bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had good effect on a cough that was giving me trouble and I think I should have been more quickly relieved if I had continued the remedy. That it was beneficial and quick in relieving me there is no doubt and it is my intention to obtain another bottle." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

DIED.

On Tuesday, January 21, at 7.45 a. m., MICHAEL GERMANN, in his 93d year. Funeral from the Immanuel Lutheran Church tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

Choice PEARL HOMILY and BREAK FASTGRITS, for sale at J. C. MILBURN

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 22, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:13 a. m. and sets 5:10. High water at 10:25 a. m. and 10:39.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, colder tonight. temperature slightly below freezing. Thursday fair, colder; light to fresh west to northwest winds.

CHARGES AGAINST GYPSIES.

As was stated yesterday, Lucian Mareno, thirty-two years of age, and Marie Mitchell, alias Marie Mareno, eighteen years old, Servian gypsies, are still held at the station house pending the arrival of police authorities from Council Bluffs, Iowa. Seven others comprising the band were virtually released from custody yesterday afternoon. Last night Chief Goods received a telegram announcing that the officials from Council Bluffs had left that place for Des Moines to secure the signature of the governor to requisition papers, and that they would stop off at Richmond, to get Gov. Swanson's signature before coming to Alexandria. The authorities of Council Bluffs charge the band with abduction and grand larceny. The particulars are not known here. Last night, R. L. Stultz, local manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, received a telegram requesting him to have the entire band held. The telegram said an uncle of the missing child will arrive here to look over the children with the gypsies. It is expected that the Iowa officials will arrive here for their prisoners tomorrow night or Friday morning. In the meantime, the gypsies will probably be sent to the city jail, as accommodations at police headquaters are inadequate.

Hurricane Branch and other officers came here this evening from Suffolk from which place it is said a child was abducted a few years ago by strange men. They saw the gypsies but declared that there were not the men wanted in Suffolk.

THE LAYCOCK-HENDERSON WEDDING.

Amid a bower of palms, an exceedingly pretty home wedding was solemnized at 501 Cameron street, this afternoon at three o'clock, when Miss Hanna E. Henderson, of this city, became the bride of Mr. George W. Laycock, of Hamilton, Va. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. V. Hildebrand, pastor of Harmony M. E. Church, of which the groom is a member. The bride was very becomingly attired in a white crepe princess over taffetta, and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her niece, Miss Alice Montrose Graham, in light blue crepe, carrying bridesmaid roses. Owing to the recent death of the bride's mother, only members of the immediate families of the contracting parties were present. Mr. and Mrs. Laycock left for an extended trip through Ohio and Illinois and upon their return will reside at the Baldwin House, Hamilton.

RELIANCE FIRE COMPANY.

A largely attended meeting of the Reliance Steam Fire Engine Company, No. 5, was held last night at the engine house on north Patrick street.

The company appointed a committee to arrange for the participation of the organization in the parade on the 22nd of February.

The following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year:

President, L. E. Ubler; first vice president, J. R. N. Curtin; second vice president, J. S. Douglass; treasurer, Wm. H. Bontz, jr.; secretary, G. K. Prettyman; assistant secretary, Roger Sullivan; recording secretary, Andrew Sullivan; captain, R. D. Grimes; first lieutenant, K. W. Ogden; second lieutenant, Milton M. Glasgow; commander of hose, Conrad Schwab; executive committee, W. P. Taylor, J. Y. Williams and Wm. H. Bontz, jr.

TROUBLE ON A TRAIN.

It is said that considerable excitement was caused on a southbound Southern Railway train last Sunday afternoon by a disorderly negro. The conductor attempted to quiet the darkey, but this seemed to anger him more, and when he attempted to assault the conductor, a member of the train crew felled the negro with a lantern. The latter was finally ejected from the train, the conductor being compelled to draw his pistol on the would-be assailant. It was reported that the darkey was subsequently shot by a resident of Albemarle county and that he had died from his wound.

CUTTING AFFRAY.

A difficulty occurred early this morning between Arthur Harrison and Frank Ford, two young men, while they were at work on north Lee street, during which Harrison drew a knife and attacked Ford, seriously cutting him on the arms, back and neck. The injured young man was conducted to Dr. Jones's office, where his wounds were dressed, Lieutenant Smith and Officer Gill had in the meantime arrested Harrison and locked him up. The latter claims he acted in self-defense, as he supposed Ford was about to draw a pistol.

MOVING PICTURES.

Large audiences witnessed the moving pictures of the Belle Haven Amusement Company again last night. Motion pictures are among the most wonderful productions of the present age and should be seen to be appreciated. The Belle Haven Company has every safeguard at their exhibition hall on north Fairfax street. In this connection it may be stated that their apparatus and its surroundings have been inspected and pronounced safe in every particular.

W. C. T. U.

The Allison W. C. T. U. will hold their regular business meeting Thursday at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. E. Mercer, 2652 18th street, northwest Washington. The members and invited friends will please leave Alexandria on the 1:50 o'clock electric car.

COLUMBIA MEETING.

A largely attended meeting of the Columbia S. F. E. Co. was held last night. The company decided to participate in the twenty-second of February parade. The reel will not appear in line on this occasion, but the engine and hose wagon will be in the procession.

Money can be saved by buying your Shoes at Marshall's, 422 King street.
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THE LATE HENRY A. LILLY.

Tuesday morning a funeral of great interest to fraternal organizations passed through Salisbury from Alexandria, Va. No. 33 brought the remains of Mr. Henry A. Lilly. The deceased gentleman was a locomotive engineer on the Southern Railroad with headquarters at Alexandria. No more popular young man ever handled a throttle and when on Sunday morning he succumbed to typhoid fever a gloom was cast over the whole Virginia town. Mr. Lilly, who was not married, was a brother of Dr. W. T. Lilly, of Norwood, and this gentleman accompanied his remains. Deceased was a member of the following fraternal organizations: Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120, A., F. & A. M.; Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 14, R. A. M.; Old Dominion Commandery No. 11; Acca Temple Mystic Shriners; B. P. O. E., 758; and Oriental Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Accompanying the remains as pallbearers and escort of honor were the following gentlemen: Messrs. W. C. Bruin, F. W. Latham, and C. Keith, representing the Knights Templar, and H. M. Hockman, Harry S. Brown and S. P. Fisher, representing the Shriners. The remains were conveyed on a special train in charge of Conductor Vance Lander to Norwood, where the obsequies were conducted under the direction of Albemarle Masonic Lodge. The case containing the casket was completely covered with beautiful floral emblems attesting still further the love in which this estimable young man was held by all who knew him.—[Salisbury, N. C., Evening Post.

[The trains from Alexandria missed connection at Salisbury, N. C., with the regular train for Norwood, the railroad company refusing to wait 28 minutes for the through train. Those having the remains in charge were therefore compelled to charter a special train at their own expense to convey the remains to Norwood. The Alexandrians who went to Norwood say that about 1,500 people attended the funeral of Engineer Lilly, certain factories having shut down in order to afford employees an opportunity to pay their respect to the late engineer, who was popular with all who knew him.]

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Major Samuel Cooper took place at noon today from "Clermont," Fairfax county, the residence of his sister, Mrs. Nicholas Dawson. The funeral was attended by many friends and acquaintances of the deceased including a number of members of Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, and others from this city. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis and the pallbearers were Dr. Lewis Cazenove, Dr. L. M. Blackford, and Messrs. W. A. Smoot, Beverley Mason, B. C. Willis, and George Stuart. The remains were interred in the family lot in Christ Church cemetery and after the services at the church the Confederate burial service was read by Adjutant C. S. Taylor, Lee Camp. [In the account of the death of Major Cooper it was stated that the deceased was at one time an officer in the Second U. S. artillery. This was incorrect. He was second lieutenant in the First artillery, and Mr. James A. Stewart, now one of the oldest engineers on the Southern Railway, was a fifer in the command when it was stationed at Fort Moultrie.]

The remains of the late Neville H. Whiting, who died at "Maizemoor," near Marshall, Fanquier county, on Monday last, were brought to this city today and interred in Ivy Hill cemetery. The burial services were conducted by Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, of the Seminary, and the pallbearers were Messrs. Carlyle, Neville and Bryan Whiting, sons of the deceased; Messrs. Clarence and Guy Whiting, two brothers of the deceased, and Mr. Richard Rozel.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sallie A. Worsham took place this afternoon from her late residence, 1226 Prince street. Rev. Charles D. Bulla conducted the services.

NIGHT SCHOOL FOR CATHOLIC BOYS.

Some ten days ago it was stated that it was the intention of Rev. Father Carne to start a peculiar sort of night school for the Catholic boys in Alexandria to keep them from the street. The handsome rooms which had been prepared at a cost of about $200 were nearly finished, the money having been given by two friends, and the only question was where the boys were to be found. That was the most difficult part of the scheme, but while others were doubtful Rev. Father Carne's confidence was fixed. He has a very large library and he fixed the books, as many of them as could be held by the many shelves; placed upon the walls twelve or more pictures of the cadets of the corps which had distinguished itself in the various processions and camps, especially at Yorktown, where it vied with the Virginia Military Institute, which was the guard of the then governor, while Gen. Fitzhugh Lee took them for his. They bore the fatigue and the soldiers' fare, eliciting the public promise of the general and his friend of the Confederate army, Col. C. C. Wertenbaker, who gave testimony to the cadets in public prints to assist the ladies in giving them the finest equipment then possessed by any soldiers. Monday night last was fixed for the first meeting of the boys and twenty-one appearing the school was organized. Last night the number had risen to thirty-one, from all quarters of the city, and the effort will no doubt be a complete success.

THE CAMERON CLUB.

A series of four lectures will be given this winter as usual under the auspices of the Cameron Club—the first lecture, on Friday, January 24, at Lee Camp Hall, will be given by Miss Richards, of Washington. So popular is this lady with Alexandrians that they consider no course quite complete unless she has a share in it. The other lectures will be given on Monday nights. In February Mr. Augus Crawford will give an illustrated lecture, followed in March by a second talk from Miss Richards, while the course will be closed in April by an address from the Hon. John Barrett.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

At the annual meeting of the Washington National Building and Loan Association held in this city today the following directors were elected: M. J. Colbert, J. D. Sullivan, John Quinn and J. C. Stoddard, all of Washington.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

How to Cure Chilblains.

"To enjoy freedom from chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed for fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at all drug stores.

PERSONAL.

Messrs. John A. Marshall and Milton Fairfax will leave the latter part of this week for Hot Springs, Ark., to be gone a month.

Miss Virginia Nalls, of 818 King street, left today for a visit to friends in Loudoun and Frederick counties.

Miss Alice Crawford has returned to her home near this city, from a short visit to Miss Alice Robinson in Baltimore.

The officers at Fort Hunt, below this city, will give a hop their tomorrow night.

Rev. Joseph R. Sevier has gone to Danville, where he is to conduct a ten days' meeting.

Mr. James P. Machen, of Fairfax, is seriously ill at his home in that county.

Mr. Joseph Cooper, an old resident of Fairfax county, is serious ill.

Councilman Charles B. Marshall went to Fairfax county today to attend the funeral of his aunt, which took place this afternoon.

GOING TO FREDERICKSBURG.

The Elk's Dramatic Club of this city will leave tomorrow for Fredericksburg, where they will present "The Merry Cobbler" for the benefit of the Elks of that city. Between 25 and 30 members of Alexandria lodge and their friends will accompany them. After the performance a banquet will be given to the visitors.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by all druggists, fifty cents.

Broken lots of Ladies' Fine Shoes at about half price. J. A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

Atherton, the infant son of Mr. John W. and Mrs. Annie Mason, died at his parents' home, 109 Prince street, this morning.

Mr. S. B. Fowler, executor, has sold to Mrs. Hattie V. Ludwig a house and lot on the west side of Royal street, between Prince and Duke.

A lecture on the subject of Vital Energy will be delivered at Grace Church on south Patrick street tomorrow, Thursday, evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

The architects who drew the plans for the Fairfax Apartment House will meet tomorrow and formally accept the building from Mr. J. D. Knight, the contractor.

The schooner Charles H. Dalger, which was recently sunk in a collision with the ferry steamer Lackawanna, has been raised and taken to the shipyard for repairs.

Edwin McNamara, 28 years old, a fireman on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, while leaning out of the cab of his engine this morning near the Union station in Washington was struck by a passing engine and had his right arm cut off.

Announcement has been made that Mr. E. H. Cospman has been made manager of the entire Southern Railway system, his jurisdiction being extended from one of the four former districts to the entire system. The order was effective Monday.

Mr. H. Francis from his stand, No. 309 Prince street, sent to this office today a sample of fine oysters he has for sale. They were taken from the mouth of the Chesapeake Bay, opposite Cape Charles. Each bivalve contains a crab—the accompaniment of all good oysters.

The weather was mild again last night and the mercury in the thermometer early this morning stood at 41° and by noon it had risen up to 61°. A large flock of wild geese passed over this city toward the southwest about 5 o'clock yesterday evening. This was regarded as ominous by the weather-wise, who believe a cold wave is in transitu.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills They promptly relieve backache and weak back. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

Some broken sizes in Hess shoes $5 and $6 grades, $2.50 get them, if you are quick. Marshall, 422 King street

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 25
Family	5 00	a	5 25
Fancy brands	5 50	a	5 75
Wheat, longberry	0 98	a	1 02
Mixed	0 93	a	0 96
Fults	0 93	a	0 96
Damp and tough	0 80	a	0 85
New Cob Corn, per bbl	3 00	a	3 75
Corn, white	0 73	a	0 75
Mixed	0 70	a	0 73
Yellow	0 70	a	0 73
Corn Meal	0 80	a	0 82
Rye	0 00	a	0 80
Oats, mixed, new	0 58	a	0 60
White, new	0 63	a	0 65
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 16	a	0 18
Choice Virginia	0 23	a	0 26
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 30	a	0 31
Live Chickens (hens)	0 11	a	0 12
Spring Chickens	0 14	a	0 15
Dressed Hogs	0 8	a	0 9
Potatoes, per bu	0 75	a	0 80
Sweet Potatoes (barrel)	2 80	a	3 00
Yams	1 00	a	1 25
Onions, per bushel	1 00	a	1 25
Dried Cherries	0 12	a	0 14
Dried Apples	0 04½	a	0 06
Apples, per bbl	0 00	a	3 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50	a	8 50
Bacon, country hams	0 17½	a	0 18
Best sugar-cured hams	0 15½	a	0 18
Butchers' hams	0 16	a	0 18
Breakfast Bacon	0 12½	a	0 13
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Bulk shoulders	0 10½	a	0 11
Dry Salt sides	0 9½	a	0 10
Fat backs	0 08	a	0 8½
Bellies	0 94	a	0 10
Sugars—Brown	4 35	a	4 44
Off A	4 40	a	4 45
Conf. standard	4 00	a	4 85
Granulated	4 95	a	5 25
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 26
	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 18	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 35
Salt—G. A	0 62	a	0 65
Fine	0 83	a	1 20
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Washed	0 28	a	0 29
Merino, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Do. washed	0 28	a	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 75	a	7 50
Potomac No 1	3 50	a	4 25

The Modish Bracelet

Year after year brings some new fad in the way of Jewelry and for women this season there is nothing so modish as the Bracelet. We have added to our offering from time to time until now it is as complete as money will make it. You are quite certain to find something to please YOU. A host of designs in every finish, plain and gem set examples.

A Beautiful Solid Gold Bracelet at - - - $9

Saunders & Son, 629 King Street.

DRY GOODS.

The White Sale IS NOW Going On

There is Real Economy for All Who Come to This Sale of Fine, Beautiful Embroideries, White Goods and Muslin Underwear.

1908 Embroideries Included in This Sale.

1908 Wash Goods IN FULL BLOOM HERE.

The most complete line in this city.

BARGAINS

Never heard of in the history of Alexandria.

D. BENDHEIM AND SONS, 316 KING STREET.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

White China Sale.

Cups and Saucers	5c pair.
Plates	5c each
Vegetable Dishes	10c each.
Meat Dishes	10c each.
White Chamber Sets	$1.98 each.
Decorated Teas and Plates	10c each.
Paints	10c can and up.
Brushes	5c and 10c each.
Curtain Poles	10c each.
Window Shades	10c and 25c each.

ELLIOTT'S, Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring	4 25	a	4 50
Potomac family roe	4 50	a	5 00
Do. half barrel	2 25	a	3 00
Potomac Shad, per half bbl		a	7 50
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	14 00	a	14 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75
Clover Seed	6 50	a	7 55
Timothy	2 25	a	2 0
Hay	21 00	a	22 00

Curtice Brothers SAP MAPLE SYRUP Blue Label CATSUP, ASSORTED JAMS and BAKED BEANS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Ten seeks GOOD COFFEE to be roasted and old at fifteen cents by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Bell 'Phone. Home 'Phone.

SWAN BROS King and Pitt Sts.

Eighth Anniversary Sale.

The result of eight years' successful business in Alexandria. For which we extend our most hearty thanks to those who have helped to make this business what it is to-day. We are now located in our modern establishment, with every convenience for the shopping public, such as good light, broad aisles, quick service, polite attention, resting and toilet rooms on second floor, which are always at the disposal of our patrons. This Anniversary Sale is of no small importance, as we are giving unusual price reductions on new white goods, new Hamburg Embroideries, Sheetings, Muslins, Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Lace Curtains, Furs, Ladies' and Children's Coats. Besides, all winter goods reduced to cost and some less than cost. A better money-saving opportunity was never offered the people of Alexandria than our Anniversary Sale, which runs

UNTIL February First.

GROCERIES.

The Finest of Everything.

Shriver's SELECTED SWEET

A No. One CORN

10c Can. $1.00 Dozen.

SHRIVER'S Silver Brand Peas

10c Can. $1.10 Dozen.

THOS. LANNON, Cor. Cameron and Pitt Sts.

WANTED.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN as clerk in a shoe store. Apply to LYNN & CO., jan23 3t 429 King Street.

WANTED—At the Bliss Silk Mills—Girls and boys from 14 years up. Light, clean work; paid while learning. BLISS SILK THREAD CO., jan14 2w Per J. Olldorf.

THE regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the MERCANTILE RAILWAY BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Alexandria, Va., will be held FEBRUARY 6, 1908, at 10 a. m., at the office of the association, corner Prince and Fairfax streets. LEWIS HOOFF, jan22 td Secretary.

LEADBEATER'S EMULSION of PURE NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL, combined with hypophosphites of lime and soda. Fourteen ounce bottle 50 cents. For sale by E. R. LEADBEATER & SONS.

15 mats very fine old JAVA COFFEE just received by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

95 SUITS Worth up to $29 50 for $8.88

You know when we advertise a bargain it's AN HONEST BARGAIN

We need 95 women to purchase 95 Suits that we have placed on sale. 21 Suits, plain black, were $25, $27.50, $29.50. Sizes 32 to 42 only. Balance of 74 Suits, in an assortment of brown, gray and blue and green mixtures and stripes; also plain browns and blues. sizes 32 to 46.

Former prices, $22.50, $25 00, $27.50, $29 50.

Come early and avoid the great crowds. Special honest-bargain price, $8.88

Lansburgh & Bro 420 to 426 Seventh Street, 421 to 425 Eighth Street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

AMUSEMENTS.

First Grand Concert OF THE Alexandria Ideal Mandolin CLUB TO BE HELD AT Lyceum Hall - Duke St., Thursday, Jan. 23, 8 p. m.

The entertainment of the season. | First-class up-to-date vaudeville novelties.

TICKETS . . 25 Cents.

Reserve seats at Warfield's early. Tickets also for sale by all members of Mandolin Club and at Warfield's. jan18 5t

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In the latest styles and colors, all sizes, to be had at a great reduction. Ladies' Blouse and Norfolk Jackets. Some bargains. Just the thing these cold mornings.

Books A large line or Henty, Optic, Meade and Alger Books for Boys and Girls. Good reading for these long Winter evenings.

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NOTICE—Having qualified as executrix of the estate of Mr. JOHN T. WILKINS, deceased, all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me, duly verified, for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of their indebtedness to me.

CATHERINE R. WILKINS, jan22 10t Executrix.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administratrix c. t. a. of the estate of Mrs. JULIA F. TUBMAN, deceased, all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me duly verified for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of their indebtedness to me.

KENNETH W. OGDEN, jan21 2w 102 South Columbus Street, Administrator.

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Until Further Notice Store Will Open at 8:30 A. M., and Close at 5:30 P. M.

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THE JANUARY White Sale CONTINUES.

AND fresh, full, and complete assortments of several classes of merchandise represented are offered daily AT VERY ATTRACTIVE PRICES.

Lace Curtains, Portieres, Draperies and Upholstery Fabrics.

This is the third week of our January special Sale of these several classes of goods, and to which we direct especial attention on account of the seasonableness of the goods, the high qualities, and the exceptional values offered. Included are Lace Curtains, Portieres, Couch Covers, Drapery Materials, Upholstery Fabrics, &c.

Special Sale of RUGS.

A Clearance Sale of Rugs, comprising the best grades of the leading manufacturers, in carpet and smaller sizes, and in patterns suitable for any part of the house. Included are Wiltons, Arlingtons, Brussels, Clovers and All-wool Ingrains. Prices average ¼ less than usual.

27x54-inch Wilton Rugs, $3.75 each. Were $4 50.

36x63-inch Wilton Rugs, $5 each. Were $7 and $8.

36x63-inch Arlington Rugs, $6.50 each. Were $8.

9x12-ft. Clover Rugs, $5 each. Were $7.50.

9x12-ft. All-wool Ingrain Rugs, $7.50 each. Were $10.

9x12-ft. Brussels Rugs, $17.50 each. Were $21.50.

9x12-ft. Wilton Rugs, $35 each. Were $42 50.

9x12-ft. Wilton Rugs, $50. Were $55 and $60.

Also a large lot of Oriental Rugs, in small sizes (3 to 4 feet wide by 4 to 7 feet long), including Shrivans, Karabaughs, Daghestans and Mousouls. Rich colorings and designs and very attractive patterns.

$10 each. Were $11.50 to $13.50.
$12.50 each. Were $15 to $17.50.
$15 each. Were $17.50 to $22.50.
$20 each. Were $22.50 and $25.
$25 each. Were $27.50 and $30.

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1000 pounds new mountain dark BUCKWHEAT just received by J. C. MILBURN.

PURSUANT to resolutions of the Board of Directors of the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company, Incorporated, passed January 8th, 1908, a meeting of the stockholders of said company will be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, in this city, at 1.30 p. m. on the 10th day of February, 1908, which resolutions are as follows:

Be it resolved: That in the judgment of the board it is deemed advisable and for the benefit of this company that its affairs should be wound up and the corporation dissolved.

Resolved: That a meeting of the stockholders of the Company be called to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of February, 1908, at the hour of 1:30 p. m. at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, to take action upon the resolution of the board.

Resolved further: That within ten days after the adoption of this resolution that notice be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, wherein the principal office of the Company is located, at least once a week for four successive weeks next preceding the time appointed for the same, of a meeting of the stockholders to be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, to take action upon the resolution of the Board of Directors The said notice shall contain a copy of these resolutions, and a copy of these resolutions shall be mailed to each stockholder in person.

Attest: H. WHITE,
jan13 wtf Secretary.

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Alexandria Gazette.

WDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 22, 1908.

The Wife of the Cat.

Nasr-ed-din, the Persian shah, was an intensely superstitious man and believed that his luck lay in his beautiful black Persian cat, which was a remarkably handsome cat in a land where cats are nearly all handsome. The shah never allowed the black cat to be away from him, and it was given in charge of one of his wives, Amin Agdas, who was styled "the wife of the cat."

When the shah went on his long shooting expeditions, the Persian cat was put into a decorated basket and carried by a special attendant directly behind his master. Unluckily one day an accident occurred, and the black cat came to an untimely end. The shah was in despair at the loss of his luck bringer, but the clever "wife of the cat" exerted her influence and brought her nephew under the shah's notice. The lad was sharp enough to make the most of an accident (planned by his aunt) and save the shah's life, and the monarch was so pleased that he gave the boy the name of "the cherished of the sovereign" and installed the new luck bringer.

Perilous Boating.

On the west coast of Ireland, near the mouth of the river Shannon, are several large sea caves which open into each other. The visitor seems to be floating through a submarine palace of many halls whose roofs are either as green as grass in the sun or blood red. But the visitor needs a good guide and a good boatman, for the sea is insidious and the labyrinth of caves intricate. On one occasion, writes Aubrey de Vere in his "Recollections," soon after a party had entered the boatman suddenly shouted, "Bend down your heads for your lives!"

No one saw any danger, but the boatman felt the placid water insensibly rising and knew that the tide had turned. At last the visitors knew this, too, for it was not until the boat had ascended within a few inches of the roof that it began to descend.

"Pull your best!" exclaimed the man at the helm. "If the second wave reaches us, we are lost!" But before the second wave reached the cave the boat had issued from its mouth.

"To Eat Crow."

Although the use of the expression "to eat crow" in a metaphorical sense, meaning to eat one's words, may well have dated from the time of Noah, when the bird was first looked upon as unclean and not fit to serve as food for man, it seems to have arisen from the old tale of the officer and the private.

A soldier, having shot a tame crow belonging to one of his officers, was discovered by the owner with the bird in his hand. Seizing the private's gun, the officer commanded him to eat the bird as a punishment. With the firearm pointed at his head, the soldier fell to, but no sooner had the officer laid aside the gun than the culprit grasped it and compelled his superior to join in the distasteful banquet.

The private was court martialed the next day, and when he was asked by the examiners what had occurred he replied, "Nothing, except that Captain Blank and I dined together."—Washington Star.

College Chums.

A rich and well known citizen of an eastern city boasts of an extraordinary collection of books wherein the authors have inscribed their autographs.

It is rumored that the envy and frequently the skepticism of his friends have been aroused by the flattering inscriptions in question, and some cynics have even gone so far as to hint of a similarity in handwriting throughout the collection.

The citizen recently purchased a rare edition of Montaigne's essays. One evening at dinner the costly volume was passed from hand to hand, and for a time the owner lost sight of it. When, however, it did finally come back to him he was astonished to find on the fly leaf this inscription:

"To John Blank, From His Old Friend and Classmate, Mike Montaigne."—Harper's Weekly.

Reading a Pig's Tail.

"Don't buy that pig," said the older butcher hastily.

"Why not?" asked the younger man.

"Look at his tail," was the reply. "See how loose it hangs, like the tail of a rat. That is a sign that the animal is in bad health.

"You can read a pig's condition by its tail. The tighter it is curled the fitter is the pig. And when the tail hangs straight, as this one does, the pig ought to take to his bed and send for the veterinary." — New Orleans Times-Democrat.

An Unmentioned Ancestor.

Mr. B. is very proud of his ancient lineage and never lets slip an opportunity to boast of it. At a dinner where he had been unusually rampant on this subject a fellow guest quieted him by remarking:

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A Little Hint.

Mrs. Knicker—Henry, do you think a camel can pass through the eye of a needle? Knicker—Dunno. Do you think the eye of a needle can pass through a button?

Men tire themselves in the pursuit of rest.—Sterne.

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—Under the first by-law the annual meeting of the stockholders of the EUREKA MANGANESE COMPANY will be held at No. 504 Duke street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 23rd day of January, 1908, at 12 o'clock m.

L. W. REID, Secretary.
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Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 45 a. m., and 3 30, 5 45 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

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